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RE: Attorney Docket No.: CAT/29US-SCROCO  
Application No.: 09/401,939  
Filed: 9/23/1999  
Inventor: Scroggie et al.  
Group Art Unit: 3622  
Examiner: Gravini  
Title: System and Method For Providing Shopping Aids And Incentives  
to Customers Through a Computer Network

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37 CFR 1.114 Request For Continued Examination (RCE) (In Duplicate)  
37 CFR 1.321 Terminal Disclaimer Over Application 09/567,294 By Attorney (2 pages)

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4/5/2005  
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Respectfully Submitted,

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.  
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